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Combining at an Outer Decoder on
a Communication System
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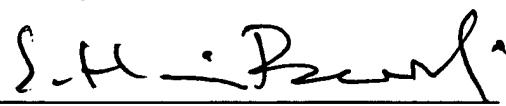
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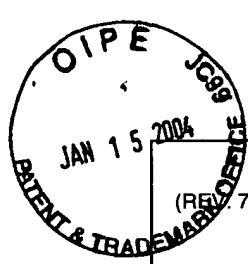
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